

EDUC2601

Purpose

What is the purpose of this PEx?

PEx will provide you with the opportunity to:

- gain familiarity with Australian schooling
- observe various pedagogical practices related to literacy
- plan, prepare and start teaching short learning tasks
- gain experience within or outside of your discipline area (e.g. you may not be placed in your discipline area).

Roles and Responsibilities

Your role and your responsibilities:

- PEx is a commitment, and you must ensure you make arrangements prior to the commencement of PEx to ensure your attendance (e.g. childcare, family / personal commitments).
- Your role is to take responsibility and work collaboratively and professionally with your supervising teacher in order to gain teaching experience.
- Schools are busy places. It is not advised that you take on additional responsibilities beyond the teaching segments during this PEx as you will also need to complete your UQ coursework.
- When required, fill out Assessment Task 4a and Assessment Task 4b and upload to Blackboard
- **To pass EDUC2601 all course requirements and PEx requirements must be met.**

Absence

What to do when you will be absent?

Please refer to the website: [UQ Professional Experience](#) > *Reporting Absent Days on Placement*

What to do if you encounter problems?

If you encounter issues, you first need to speak to your Supervising Teacher and School Coordinator to find a solution. Your PEx Facilitator is your support and UQ representative. If a solution cannot be found, please contact the PEx office (education@uq.edu.au), lead tutor and your Course Coordinator.